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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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- 60 - Elvira, IV3FSG has returned to Somaliland "to complete a few pending tasks", and is active again as 603T. Length of stay unknown.
- 8Q - Harald, DL7MDX will be active holiday style as 8Q7HT from the Maldives (AS-013, WWL MJ64th) on 1-11 December. He will operate mainly FT8 on 40-6 metres. QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW and QRZ.
- CE - John, NI6D will be active as CE7/NI6D along the Carretera Austral in Northern Patagonia on 6-18 December. He will operate FT8/FT4 on 40-10 metres, low power, during the local afternoon/evening hours. QSL via LoTW.
- EA - Celebrating Christmas and the New Year from the city of Vigo, EG1NV will be active between 2 December and 12 January. QSL via LoTW, eQSL, and QRZ Logbook. See <https://www.qrz.com/db/EG1NV> for more information.
- FM - Dmitry, UT5UGR is active as FM/UT5UGR from Martinique (NA-107) until 4 December. He will participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest as T07A. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, or via home call.
- HS - HS25SG is a special event callsign which will be activated on 1-30 December to celebrate the 33rd Southeast Asian Games and as part of the "SatFinder" educational campaign, which promotes space, satellite, and radio science to students and the general public through amateur radio activities. QSL via Club Log's OQRS, LoTW, and QRZ Logbook. See <https://www.qrz.com/db/HS25SG> for more information.
- PA - Special callsigns celebrating Christmas and the New Year from the Netherlands include:
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| PA25SANTA | 1 Dec-1 Jan | QSL via PA1AW |
| PA25XMAS | 1-31 Dec | no QSL, certificate on QRZ |
| PD25STAR | 1-31 Dec | no QSL, certificate on QRZ |
| PD26HNY | 1 Dec-31 Jan | no QSL, certificate on QRZ |
| PF25XMAS | 1-31 Dec | QSL via PC1K; certificate on QRZ |
| PH25XMAS | 6-28 Dec | no QSL, certificate on award.pa3efr.nl |
| PH26HNY | 28 Dec-5 Jan | no QSL, certificate on award.pa3efr.nl |
| PI25XMAS | 1-31 Dec | no QSL, certificate on QRZ |
- SP - On 6 December 1925 Tadeusz Heftman, TPAX made the first amateur radio contact confirmed by a QSL card between Poland and a station from outside the country (N0PM in the Netherlands). Commemorating that milestone, special event station SN0TPAX will operate CW and SSB throughout December. The activity is organized by the PZK and the SP DX Club. All QSOs will be confirmed automatically via the bureau.
- T2 - Provided his luggage arrives as promised on 29 November, Nobu, JA0JHQ will be active as T2NH from Funafuti, Tuvalu (OC-015) until 2 December.
- TG - Todd, AF4CZ, will be active holiday style as TG9/AF4CZ from Guate-

mala between 7 December and 5 January. He will operate mainly FT8/FT4 on 40-10 metres. QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW, eQSL and Club Log.

- TL8 - Joao, CR7BNW will be active as TL8BNW from Bangui, Central African Republic for six months (December 2025-June 2026). He will operate SSB and FT8 on 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres. QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW and QRZ Logbook.
- VE - After his activity from Broughton Island (NA-130) [425DXN 1803], Mike, VY0Z00 is expected to be back to Southampton Island (NA-007) until 30 November. Next he plans to go and be QRV as VY0Z00 from Sanikiluaq, Flaherty Island (NA-196) on 1-7 December, and as VY0Z00/VE2 from Kangiqsualujjuaq (mainland Canada) on 7-14 December. QSL direct to VE2XB.
- VE - Weather permitting, Stuart, VE9CF will be active as VC9A from Miscou Island (NA-068) on 12 December from 13 to 19 UTC to celebrate the 124th anniversary of Marconi's transatlantic radio communication. QSL via VE9CF. [TNX VE9CF]
- VK - Doug, WA6L plans to be active as VK4/WA6L from Fitzroy Island (OC-172) approximately between 30 November and 4 December. He will operate CW QRP. QSL via LoTW, eQSL, or direct to home call.
- YO - Special callsign YR6ZIPD will be active on 1-3 December for the International Day of Persons with Disabilities (Ziua Internationala a Persoanelor cu Dizabilitati), whose annual observance (3 December) was proclaimed by the United Nations General Assembly in 1992. QSL via QRZ Logbook.
- YO - Members of the YO3KRM Radioclub will run a Christmas Special Event on 5-31 December, with three special callsigns: YO0HOHO, YO0XMAS, and YR0UDOLPH. QSLs via YO3GND. Certificates will be available, see qrz.com for the details.

CQ WW DX CW CONTEST ---> The following stations have announced their participation in this year's event (29-30 November, <https://cqww.com/rules.htm>):

ZONE	CALL	CATEGORY	COUNTRY	QSL VIA

02	VE2IM	SOAB	Canada	VE3DZ
05	VP9I	M/2	Bermuda	WW3S
07	HP3/OK2WX	SO	Panama	I8KHC
07	HQ9X	M/2	Honduras	KQ1F
07	TI5/VA3RA	SOSB	Costa Rica	VE3IKV
07	TI8X	SOAB HP	Costa Rica	LoTW/EA5GL
07	V31CQ	SOAB HP	Belize	LoTW/K5PS
08	8P5A	SOAB HP	Barbados	LoTW/HA1AG
08	C6AQQ	SOAB LP	Bahamas	LoTW/EA5GL
08	FS/K0CD	SO QRP	St. Martin	K0CD
08	J38W	SOAB HP	Grenada	LoTW/M00X0
08	KP4AA	SOAB	Puerto Rico	LoTW
08	NP3Y	M/S HP	Puerto Rico	LoTW/NP3Y
08	PJ5C	MO	Sint Eustatius	LoTW
08	PJ7UK	SO	Sint Maarten	LoTW/N0UK
08	T07A	SOAB HP	Martinique	UT5UGR
08	V26K	SOAB LP	Antigua and Barbuda	LoTW/AA3B
08	V47T	SO HP	St. Kitts	W2RQ

08	VP2MAA	SOAB LP	Montserrat	IK2DUW
08	VP2MMA	M/S	Montserrat	LoTW/AC6ZM
08	ZF1A	M/2	Cayman Islands	LoTW/K7Z0
08	ZF5T	M/M	Cayman Islands	LoTW/K5G0
09	5J1DX	SOAB HP	Colombia	LoTW/E73Y
09	8R1/AG6UT	SO LP	Guyana	DJ9RR
09	9Z4BM	SOAB	Trinidad & Tobago	direct
09	P44W	SOAB	Aruba	LoTW
09	PJ4A	M/S	Bonaire	LoTW/K4BAI
09	PJ4K	M/2	Bonaire	KU9C
09	PZ5DX	SOAB LP	Suriname	LoTW/UA2FM
12	CE0Y	M/?	Easter Island	RN3RQ
13	CW5W	SO HP	Uruguay	LoTW
14	CR2M	M/2	Azores	LoTW
14	CR6I		Portugal	LoTW/EA1CBX
14	GJ2A	SOSB 20m	Jersey	LoTW
14	HB0DX	M/S	Liechtenstein	LoTW
14	LX7I	SOAB HP	Luxembourg	LoTW
14	MU0PLX/m	SOAB LP	Guernsey	LoTW
15	E7DX	M/S HP	Bosnia & Herzegovina	LoTW
15	ES9C	M/M	Estonia	LoTW
15	HV0A	MO	Vatican City	LoTW
15	IP0A	SOSB 40m	Sardinia	OM2FY
15	OH0X	SOSB 15m	Aland Islands	LoTW
15	OH0Z	SOAB HP	Aland Islands	W0MM
15	TK0C	M/M	Corsica	LoTW/S50C
15	Z68BG	SO	Kosovo	LoTW/HB9TSW
20	SV9/VE3RSA	SO QRP	Crete	LoTW
21	4L2M	SOSB 40m HP	Georgia	EA7FTR
21	4L9M	SOSB 40m	Georgia	LoTW
21	EK8A	SO LP	Armenia	EK6SS
23	B0A	M/2	China	LoTW
24	BD1IIJ	SOAB HP	China	LoTW
26	3W9A	SOAB	Vietnam	LoTW
26	E2A	M/S	Thailand	E21EIC
27	AH2R	SOSB 10m	Guam	LoTW
27	KH0W	SO	Mariana Isls	KC0W
27	T88AR	MO	Palau	LoTW/K7AR
28	9M6NA	SOAB HP	East Malaysia	LoTW
28	V85RH	SOAB HP	Brunei	LoTW
29	VK6T	SOAB	Australia	EA7FTR
30	VK1A	M/S	Australia	LoTW
31	KH6J	M/M	Hawaii	LoTW/AH60Z
32	VK9DX	SOAB HP	Norfolk Island	YT3D
32	ZL7IO	SOAB	Chatham Islands	LoTW
33	3V8LL	SO	Tunisia	LoTW/IT9TQH
33	CQ9A	SOAB HP	Madeira	direct
33	CR3B	SOSB 20m	Madeira	LoTW/GU4Y0X
33	EF8R	SOAB	Canary Islands	LoTW/EB7DX
35	D4P	SOAB	Cape Verde	LoTW
35	TY5FR	SOAB LP	Benin	DL1BUG
36	ZD7VI	SOSB	St. Helena Island	LoTW
36	ZD7VJ	SOSB	St. Helena Island	LoTW

36	ZD7WP	SOSB	St. Helena Island	G4BWP
37	5X1DF	SOSB 40m	Uganda	LoTW
37	5X1XA	SOSB 15m	Uganda	LoTW/G3SWH
37	5X7W	SOAB QRP	Uganda	LoTW/M00X0
37	7Q1A	M/S	Malawi	LoTW
39	3B8M	M/2	Mauritius	LoTW/M00X0
39	3B9KW	SOAB HP	Rodrigues	LoTW
39	S79/OK6RA	SOSB	Seychelles	OK6RA
40	OX7AM	SOAB	Greenland	LoTW/OZ1ACB

Do not forget to give a look at the Announced Operations listing maintained by Bill, NG3K at <https://www.ng3k.com/Misc/cqc2025.html> - good contest to you all, and please note a couple of remarks from John Dorr, K1AR (CQ WW Contest Director):

- * "Operators noticing dirty/clicky CW this weekend should take pictures of spectrum/waterfalls, make note of frequency, callsign, and time, and pass these details to us via the CQ WW Contact Form: <https://cqww.com/contact/>. Our SDR team will be prioritizing the investigation of dirty signals this year".
- * "There is a growing trend with many high-scoring stations to submit their logs at the last minute. At the very least, the optics for this behavior are poor and we are taking notice. You'll note that time/date stamps are now being reported on the 'logs received' page".

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YOTA MONTH ---> The Youngsters On The Air group will be active again during the entire month of December. The idea for this event is to show the amateur radio hobby to youth and to encourage youngsters to be active on the ham radio waves. So far announced participants include stations from

Argentina	LT4YOTA
Austria	OE0YOTA
Belgium	OQ25YOTA
Bulgaria	LZ12YOTA
Curacao	PJ2YOTA
Cyprus	5B4YOTA
Egypt	SU8YOTA
France	TM25YOTA, TM4YOTA
Germany	DQ0YOTA
Hungary	HA6YOTA, HG0YOTA
Italy	II7YOTA
Latvia	YL0YOTA
Netherlands	PA6YOTA, PD6YOTA
North Macedonia	Z30YOTA, Z39YOTA
Poland	3Z0YOTA

Slovakia OM9YOTA
 South Korea HL0YOTA
 Spain A025YOTA
 Turkey TC25YOTA
 United Kingdom GB25YOTA
 USA K8Y, K80, K8T, K8A

QSLs via Club Log's OQRS (direct or bureau). Information about the event and the awards can be found on <https://events.ham-yota.com/>.

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 ***** QSL ROUTES *****

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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
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3G0YR	RN3RQ	HP3/OK2YL	I8KHC	TI8/N7ZG	EA5GL
3V8LL	IT9TQH	HR5/F2JD	F6AJA	TM300SK	F4GFE
4U1UN	HB9B0U	HS0ZJF	ON4AFU	TM35MDXC	RQ7L
5R8IC	F6ICX	HS0ZME	SM6NT	TM60ATX	F4KLR
5X1DF	G3XTT	HS0ZMY	EA5GL	TM88YL	F4IFD
5X7W	M00X0	HS0Z0Y	KA3LKM	TY5FR	DL1BUG
5Z4XB	VK3XB	IQ5PJ	IU5RTR	UE35DX	RQ7L
8Q7XX	DK6AS	IY5PIS	IU5RTR	UE35L	RQ7L
8R1/AG6UT	DJ9RR	J38W	M00X0	UE55AK	R0AA
9K90MAN	EC6DX	KP3RE	EA5GL	UE7DX	RQ7L
9L1BTU	G7BUX	OE175ARWT	OE4RUK	V31CQ	K5PS
A52AA	AB1F	OL35MDXC	RQ7L	V47NT	W2RQ
A65DX	VE3ZF	OX7AM	OZ1ACB	VK5IPA	VK5PAS
AU2JCB	VU2DSI	P40L	WA3FRP	VK8NSB	M0URX
C21TS	M00X0	PJ4KV	DL6KVA	VP2MMG	W4CMG
CN3A	IK20HG	R035C	RQ7L	VP6MW	W0VTT
CQ7MDXC	RQ7L	R035DX	RQ7L	VY0ERC	M00X0
CR2MDXC	RQ7L	R035L	RQ7L	XU7RRC	RZ3EC
DL35MDXC	RQ7L	R035N	RQ7L	YJ0GC	LZ1GC
E7MDXC	RQ7L	R0350	RQ7L	YN2N	EA7FTR
EH2EUS	EA2TP	R2025DX	RQ7L	YQ0U	Y05BFJ
ER35MDXC	RQ7L	RI1ANI	RN10N	Z68BG	HB9TSW
EV35MDXC	RQ7L	SP110GSS	SP3PDO	ZB2TT	M0URX
HF30PMW	SP2PMW	SP140GKS	SP3PDO	ZD7WP	G4BWP
HF6FIRAC	SP6IEQ	SP50KRF	SP1KRF	ZF1BB	W9KKN
HP3/OK2WX	I8KHC	T88AR	K7AR	ZL7IO	DK7A0

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